

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

JOSEPH WILLIAM DROPALSKI,

Petitioner,

v.

BELINDA STEWART,

Respondent.

Case No. C06-5697 FDB/KLS

ORDER GRANTING
APPLICATION TO PROCEED *IN*
FORMA PAUPERIS

Petitioner's application for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* (Dkt. # 1) is **GRANTED**. Petitioner does not appear to have funds available to afford the \$5.00 filing fee.

The Clerk is directed to mail a copy of this Order to petitioner.

DATED this 20th day of December, 2006.



Karen L. Strombom
United States Magistrate Judge